

U.S. Freezes Assets Of Satellite Citizens

Acheson Hits 3 Nations In East Europe

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—The United States tonight froze the assets of citizens of three Soviet satellites which have been attacking American envoys and citizens as spies and warmongers.

Attorney General McGrath announced he had stopped payments from the bank accounts, and other assets in this country, of citizens of Bulgaria, Hungary and Romania.

The United States has broken relations with Bulgaria. Secretary of State Acheson hinted today that it may eventually break with Hungary and Romania also.

They are both making it increasingly difficult, he said, for the United States to maintain diplomatic missions and virtually impossible to give any protection to American citizens and American interests.

The Justice department said, in response to inquiries, that the freezing action was dictated by the slowness with which American claims against the three countries are being compensated.

The suspension of payments followed by only a few days the sentencing of Robert A. Vogeler, American businessman, by a Budapest court on charges of espionage against Hungary. Vogeler was given 15 years imprisonment.

The Justice department declined to say whether the frozen asset action had any connection with this case.

Several million dollars held for the account of Bulgarians, Hungarians and Romanians in this country as a result of a wartime order "blocking" their accounts during the period of hostilities. Remittances were authorized in the postwar period, however, under a special license which McGrath said he has now revoked.

Harold I. Baynton, acting director of the office of alien property, said that stopping these remittances will preserve the assets in the hands of this government pending a further decision on what should be done with them in the light of the peace treaties.

In talking about the satellites at a news conference, Secretary Acheson said he did not mean that a break in relations with Hungary and Romania was imminent, or under consideration at this time. He left the way clear for action if the difficulties increased.

Eldest Brother Of John L. Lewis Is Found Dead Friday

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 24—(AP)—Thomas A. Lewis, eldest brother of mine union leader John L. Lewis, was found dead today in his home from a gunshot wound. The coroner's office said it was suicide.

His body, fully clothed except for shoes and lying in a bathtub, was found by his wife, Leonore. A revolver was near the body.

Deputy Coroner Catherine Rutherford said that Lewis, 67, had been in ill health for some time and suffered a severe heart attack yesterday. She said he shot himself in the chest.

John L., the United Mine Workers chief who has been meeting with coal operators in Washington, is expected to come here for the funeral. Services have not been completed.

Thomas at one time worked with his father and John L. in the coal mines and was superintendent of the mine at Panama, Ill., years ago. He later worked for the federal immigration service, from which he retired about five years ago.

Thomas was the second oldest in a family of eight children. John L., who is 70, is the oldest. Their mother, Mrs. Ann Louise Lewis, died here Jan. 12 at the age of 91.

Three other Lewis Brothers and two sisters are among the survivors. They are A. B. "Denny" Lewis, president of UMW District 50; Humber, assistant superintendent at the Old Ben Coal Mine in Benton, Ill.; Ray, UMW District 17 official at Charleston, W. Va.; Miss Hattie Lewis, Springfield, and Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Collins, Las Vegas, N.M.

ODORLESS PAINT ANNOUNCED

New York—(AP)—An odorless paint has been developed to facilitate interior painting of homes, hotels, hospitals and theaters in any season without necessitating ventilation to carry off fumes.

The new product was announced by D. C. Arnold, president of the Keystone Varnish Co., Charles G. Oswald, technical director of the manufacturers, says the formula was perfected after 15 years of laboratory experiments.

Friend Of Vogeler Found Dead In Tunnel

Vienna, Austria, Feb. 24—(AP)—A trackwalker found the body of U.S. naval Capt. Eugene Simon Karpe, a friend of the imprisoned Robert A. Vogeler, in a railway tunnel south of Salzburg yesterday. His passport was missing. The body was mutilated.

U. S. army investigators and Austrian police expressed belief he was the victim of an accident. American officials in Washington said they were not eliminating the possibility the officer was slain.

Austrian police said Capt. Karpe was en route to the United States after three years as U. S. naval attaché in communist-ruled Romania, evidently fell from a door of the Arlberg-Orient express on a curve. He suffered from a heart ailment.

Despite the absence of the passport, they insisted there was no indication of foul play. His other papers were found in the civilian clothing he wore.

Capt. Karpe, 45, was sent to Romania in 1946 as a naval member of the Allied Control Commission. He was an American business man sentenced by a Hungarian People's (communist) court in Budapest Tuesday to 15 years in prison on charges of sabotage and spying for the West.

Capt. Karpe visited the Vogeler home in Vienna Wednesday night. The Belgian-born Mrs. Vogeler and two young sons live in this city, where Vogeler had his headquarters as a roving eastern European representative of the International Telephone and Telegraph company.

"He was one of Bob's very dearest friends," Mrs. Vogeler said. "His death is a terrible shock to me."

Karpe left Vienna on the express yesterday morning for Paris. The trackwalker who found the body was checking wiring in the tunnel. Austrian police were notified immediately.

Passengers on the train were questioned by police at Fiedrich, near the Swiss border. French police made another check when the train reached Paris.

Officers said all the passengers appeared to be legitimate travelers and there was no reason to suspect them of having had any part in Capt. Karpe's death.

Prof. Marvel, U. Of I. To Get Gibbs Chemical Medal

Chicago, Feb. 24—(AP)—Prof. Carl Shipp Marvel of the University of Illinois has been selected for the Willard Gibbs medal, it was announced tonight.

The award, conferred annually by the Chicago section of the American chemical society, will be presented to Dr. Marvel at a dinner May 19.

Dr. Marvel is head of the University's department of organic chemistry. A former president of the American Chemical Society, he directed an important part of the World War 2 research on synthetic rubber. He also served from 1944 to 1946 as chairman of the national research council's panel on synthesis of antimicrobial drugs.

The award winner is selected by a national jury. It is made to "anyone who, because of his eminent work in, and original contributions to, pure and applied chemistry, is deemed worthy of special recognition."

The council represents 155 churches—Anglican, Protestant and Greek orthodox—in 44 countries. The appeal was issued through its executive committee after three days of secret deliberations at nearby Bossey.

Geneva, Switzerland, Feb. 24—(AP)—The World Council of Churches appealed today for a gigantic new effort for peace in order to meet the threat of "world suicide" raised by creation of the hydrogen bomb.

The council called upon the nation of the world to renew negotiations to break the present deadlock over international control of atomic energy.

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Cost Of Living Drops; GM Cuts Prices And Salaries

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP)—General Motors cut prices and wages today as the government announced that the U. S. cost of living in mid-January was 0.4 per cent less than mid-December and 2.3 per cent less than a year ago.

Wages for 362,000 GM workers are tied directly to the federal price index.

In Detroit, GM headquarters announced price cuts ranging from \$10 to \$40 on all its cars and trucks, effective immediately. It was the third time GM has reduced its prices in 12 months.

Illinois News Briefs

Chicago, Feb. 24—(AP)—Carl Braun, 84, of suburban Highland Park, a survivor of the Chicago fire of 1871 and a member of the first Chicago Grand Opera orchestra, died last night.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Frieda Renner, with whom he lived. Funeral services and burial will be held tomorrow in Graceland cemetery, Chicago.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 24—(AP)—Shreve C. Badger, Chicago, was named today to head the tax division of the state insurance department.

Badger succeeds James U. Cullen, Springfield, who has been assigned to supervise the department's policy examination branch. Badger will continue as chief of the department's securities division.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 24—(AP)—A public hearing set for Tuesday on a proposed new Illinois fire code has been postponed until March 28, the state fire marshal's office said today.

The delay is to give Illinois cities and towns more time to determine the effect of the code or existing safety ordinances. The code includes several fire prevention measures to supplement those in the present law.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 24—(AP)—Fines of \$2,500 each were levied yesterday against Louis Allemen and Dorothy Radtke, owners of the Supreme Dairy Products company of Oglesby. They pleaded guilty to a charge of shipping contaminated cheese from their plant at Macomb to Curwensville, Pa.

Fort Sill, Okla., Feb. 24—(AP)—Pvt. Donald R. Rogers, 19, of Alton, Ill., was crushed to death by a half-track yesterday during armored field artillery maneuvers.

An army public relations officer said Rogers, a basketball player, was lying in the grass and was run over as he attempted to get to his feet. Next of kin was listed as a sister, Mrs. Ethel Smith, of Alton.

Chicago, Feb. 24—(AP)—Headquarters of the American Milkling Short-horn society is being moved from Chicago to Springfield, Mo., the society announced today.

A ceremony and dedication sale will be held at the society's new building there on April 24 and 25.

Murphyboro, Ill., Feb. 24—(AP)—A southern Illinois AFL plasterers and cement finishers union will boost its wages 25 cents hourly, or to \$2.50 and \$2.25 respectively, K. E. Browne, business manager, said today.

The new rates, he said, will become effective May 15 for the area served by P and CF Local 542, which embraces six counties. They are Alexander, Jackson, Perry, Pulaski, Randolph and Union.

Policemen Guard Threatened Home Of Philip Armour

Chicago, Feb. 24—(AP)—Armed policemen guarded the three children of Philip D. Armour IV today after the member of the wealthy meat-packing family received three telephone threats against them and himself.

It was the second time in three and one-half years that such mysterious threats were made against the Armour children.

The threats were telephoned before and after midnight to Armour's 22nd floor apartment at 1500 Lake Shore Drive. Two of the callers were men and the third a woman.

Armour notified Police Commissioner John C. Prendergast. Within a few minutes the neighborhood and lobby of the Gold Coast apartment building were swarming with high police officers and armed guards.

William T. Hough, deputy chief of detectives, answered Armour's call. The 31-year-old Armour, fully dressed and carrying a pistol in his hand, met Touthy at the door.

Armour said on the first call, at 11 p.m., a man asked gruffly: "Why have you been spreading that story about me?"

Armour told the caller he must have the wrong number, but the man said: "No, you're Armour and I'm going to get you and the three children."

At 1 a.m., Armour added, a woman called and asked the ages and whereabouts of the children. She hung up when Armour asked her identity.

A man telephoned at about 1:30 a.m. and threatened to "get" the children. Then he added, "What do you have to say to that?" and hung up.

Noted Political Figure Succumbs

Chicago, Feb. 24—(AP)—Patrick J. McEniff, 59, a familiar figure to Illinois legislators for 20 years, died Tuesday. Funeral services were held today.

McEniff was a lobbyist for the Chicago sanitary district. He visited statehouse corridors regularly during biennial sessions of the general assembly, working for passage of sanitary district pegged levies and other bills.

UMW Ordered To Trial On Contempt Charges Monday

British Socialists Win Election But Without Workable Majority

London, Feb. 24—(AP)—Britain's voters have returned the socialist Labor party to power but without a big enough majority to control the House of Commons.

The result, which showed labor and conservatives almost neck-and-neck, means that another election is almost inevitable in the near future.

Today's dramatic count of the ballots showed Prime Minister Clement Attlee's laborites won 314 seats in the 625 seat House of Commons; Winston Churchill's conservatives 294, the liberal eight and the Irish Nationalists two.

A neutral speaker was also returned leaving six districts still to report. Even if the conservatives sweep them all it can not change the result.

Labor did not win a clear majority of the popular vote. They got 13,178,787 out of a record-breaking 27,983,185 ballots cast. The conservatives got 11,236,413, the liberals 2,596,058, the communists 91,746.

The figures in the 1945 election were labor, 11,922,292; conservative, 9,058,020; liberal, 2,239,668; and communist, 102,780.

Political observers said this was the closest British election since 1910 when the liberals of Prime Minister Herbert Asquith had two more seats than the conservatives. He was able to draw support, however, from a substantial number of laborites and Irish nationalists.

Five of the remaining districts will not be counted tonight. Four Scottish districts do not report until Monday. These cover remote Inverness, Ross and Cromarty; the western Scottish isles; Orkney and Shetland islands; and Argyll.

Three are normally conservative and one went labor by a small majority in 1945. The election in another district, in the Midlands, was postponed because of the death of one of the candidates.

The precarious labor victory was complicated after one of the most exciting election counts in an English-speaking country since the upset victory of Woodrow Wilson in 1916. It was attended by two notable features—the blasting of the Liberal party from its ambitious comeback trail, and a defeat of all communist candidates.

Deputy Fire Chief Albert H. Peterson said nine of the 20 were taken to hospital.

Several hundred persons were on the trains which collided at Halsted street and North Avenue about 15 blocks north of the loop.

Both trains were on the Ravenswood line.

Manchesters, N.E. Feb. 24—(AP)—Counsel for Dr. Hermann N. Sander succeeded today in blocking an assertion that the husband of the woman the country doctor is accused of killing "had nothing to do" with the mercy death.

Judge Harold E. Wescott ordered Sheriff Thomas E. O'Brien's remarks stricken after the defense raised vigorous objections.

Earlier, the 13-man jury was told that the 41-year-old defendant doctor anticipated only a "reprisand" in the so-called mercy killing.

Dr. Sander is charged with murder. Abbie Borroto, 59, by administering four injections of air into her veins she was suffering from cancer.

A hospital nurse said Sander told the county medical referee "the (Sander) assumed the medical association probably would reprimand him for it; tell him not to do it again."

Both the prosecution and defense counsel gave strong indications that Reginald Borroto, husband of the cancer-ridden woman whose death touched off this case, would testify.

Testimony has been given by Dr. Sander as saying he yielded to Borroto's pleadings to end Mrs. Borroto's suffering even if it meant "eliminating her life."

Los Angeles Judge Orders New Hotel To Be Torn Down

Los Angeles, Feb. 24—(AP)—An irate judge, who made a personal survey of a new hotel's type of patronage, today ordered the \$2,000,000 structure torn down or moved.

Judge Vernon Hunt said the hotel had the appearance of a "glorified jukebox."

He added: "It looked like it never was intended to be a permanent hotel, only a place for an hour or two, and not to sleep, either."

Coal Crisis Paralysing U.S. Economy

Washington, Feb. 24—(AP) John L. Lewis' union today was ordered to trial Monday on contempt of court charges growing out of the soft coal strike which is daily bringing the nation closer to economic paralysis.

Federal Judge Richmond B. Keach wasn't convinced by the United Mine Workers' argument that the judge had illegally issued the no-strike order which 372,000 miners have scorned for two weeks.

Likewise he brushed aside the union's plea that there should be no trial because each miner was acting individually and disobeying Lewis was not working.

The government, through Assistant Attorney General H. Graham Morrison, drew a picture of growing desperation over the nation and urged the court to use its "full power and majesty" to get digging started again if it finds the union guilty.

Previous contempt cases have cost the UMW \$2,130,000.

Meantime President Truman talked coal in a "routine" way, as Defense Secretary Johnson put it, with his cabinet at their weekly meeting. But the White House said there would be no new move there today.

If there was any hope that mining would resume Monday it lay in the negotiations between the union and the soft coal operators.

But this forlorn possibility received a jolt at the close of the day's talks when Cyrus Ching, federal mediation chief, told reporters:

"The situation is exactly the same as it was when these conferences started."

Whether the sweeping implication of this statement meant abandonment of tentative suggestions toward a contract term—or simply that there had been no agreements, was not clear at once.

Negotiators will try again tomorrow for the 10th day. Judge Keach has ordered them to bargain and "In Good Faith."

Lewis wasn't present. He left for Springfield, Ill., before the session started when word came of the fatal shooting of a brother, Thomas A. Lewis, 67. The coroner's office called it a suicide induced by ill health.

Industrial layoffs due to coal shortages picked up speed. More than 150,000 persons will be out of work by Monday, in addition to the miners. A new coal wave headed for Ohio and areas east of there.

Communists tried their propaganda on hungry miners, using food and said the accompanying literature had no effect on them.

UMW Local 560 at Mine, Pa., refused a new cargo of canned goods from New York city bearing communist pamphlets. It was given out nearby anyway.

One miner said as he carried away some cans: "We're not communists. We're not going to be influenced by something to eat."

Wallace Calls For U.S.-Russian Talks On Atomic Energy

Chicago, Feb. 24—(AP)—Henry A. Wallace told Progressive party leaders tonight they are in position to win "a campaign for peace" if they make it clear the third party is not a communist puppet.

He called for official public talks between the United States and Russia to reach agreement renouncing use of atomic energy as a destructive weapon. He urged United Nations inspection to enforce such a pact.

Also, he proposed North Atlantic pact nations should declare publicly they will not be the first to use atomic weapons.

The 1948 progressive nominee for president declared "the fearful and trembling ones" have deserted his "Gideon's army," but millions of Americans will replace them. Time and recent events are "on our side," he said.

His keynote address was prepared for the opening session of the second national convention of the party, at Chicago's Ashland auditorium. About 1,200 progressives from 35 states are mapping 1950 congressional plans at the three-day meeting.

The Norbury Sanatorium, cooperative observer for the U.S. Weather Bureau, yesterday reported the temperatures for Friday as follows: High, 43; low, 10; and at 6 p.m., 18. Sunset today 5:50; sunrise Sunday 6:36.

Forecast for Illinois—Occasional snow and not quite so cold today. High 28 to 32.

WEATHER

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS TO MEET MARCH 2

The Men's Bible class of Grace Methodist church will hold a meeting March 2 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of J. T. Graham, 219 South Prairie street. The program will include a harmonica-piano prelude; group singing; prayer by John Conant; scripture and short sermon; debate on the subject, "Resolve That There is Greater Pleasure in Pursuit than in Possession," with B. A. Bollman on the affirmative and R. G. Baker on the negative; Dr. Frank Marston, Dr. A. B. Applebee and Mrs. H. L. Griswold, judges; and Dr. O. F. Galloway, critic and moderator; quiz program; Dr. L. K. Hallock, captain; games and refreshments.

Receive Word of Cousin's Death

Miss Esther Miller died at her home in Pittsburgh, Pa., recently, according to word received by relatives here.

Miss Miller was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. Her mother, was the former Miss Sarah Fernandes, a native of Jacksonville.

The decedent was a cousin of Mrs. George W. Ferreira, 325 East Morgan street and Mrs. Carl Peterson, 46 North Church street.

Funeral services were held at Pittsburgh and burial was made here.

Ray Schrempp To Lead Red Cross Business Drive

Emmett Barton, general chairman of the Morgan County Red Cross Campaign, has named Ray Schrempp, partner of Hopper's Shoe Store, as chairman of the Business Division for the forthcoming campaign. Mr. Schrempp has previously served as co-chairman and a worker on numerous campaigns throughout the city and is well known as one of the community's youngest business men.



RAY SCHREMP

Mr. Schrempp stated that he would make appointments of other personnel to his division in the near future. The business area or downtown section which comes under the jurisdiction of the division will be divided into six sections and solicitation will be organized on this basis.

"The Red Cross is dedicated to the cause of serving humanity every day throughout the year," Mr. Schrempp stated, "and all of us can help through our contributions to this annual campaign. I believe that business men will be liberal in their support of this drive as the emergency needs, both local and national, are as heavy or heavier than ever."

This division will begin active canvass shortly after the first of March.

There Are Times When We Think Uncle Is a Little Nuts



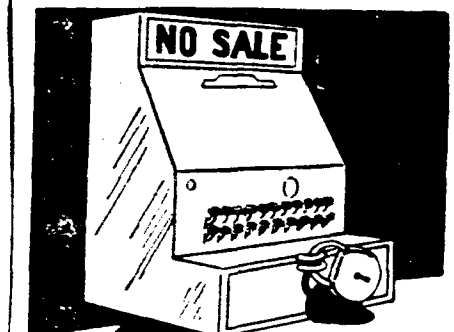
Leaders' Training School on Home Decorating Here

The local leaders of the Home Bureau units in Morgan and Scott counties will attend a special training school in Farm Bureau hall Tuesday.

The lesson will be on "Making the Home Attractive in Relation to Family Needs." Miss Dorothy Iwig, home furnishing specialist of the extension service, University of Illinois, will be the instructor.

An all-day session, the school will get under way at 10:30 a.m.

ADVERTISE-IT PAYS



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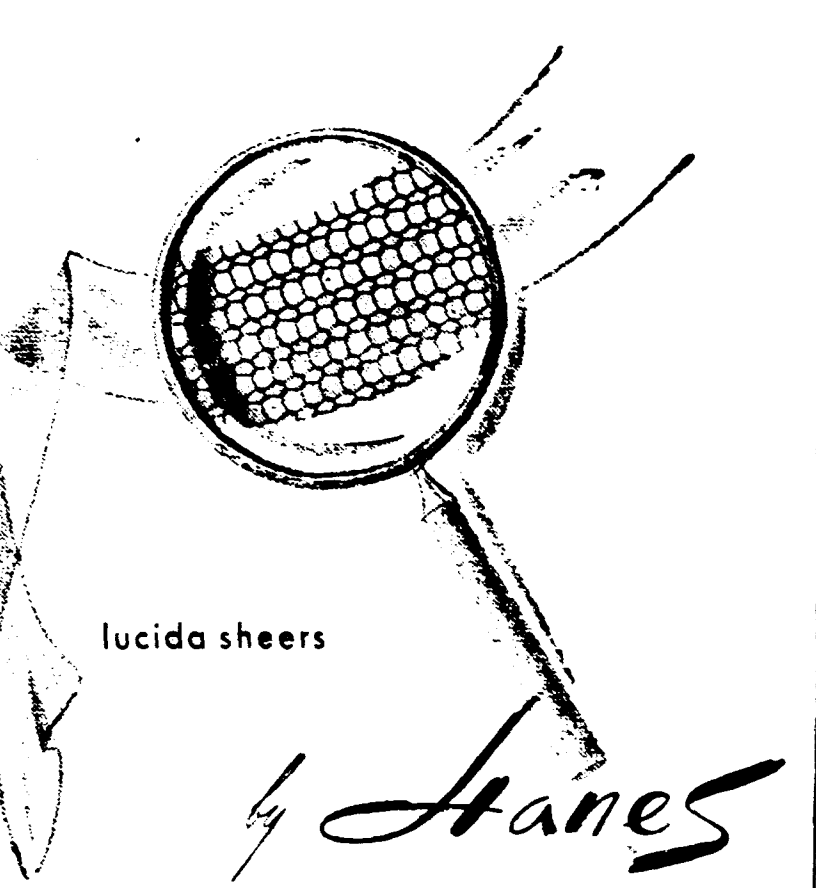
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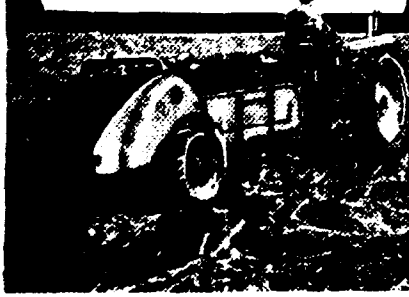
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Two more wolves were put out of circulation Thursday by Leo Fuchs of Alexander and Paul Norfleet of Jacksonville route 6. The hunters brought the wolves to this city Friday morning, collecting \$10 each in bounties at the county clerk's office.

Fuchs has killed a number of wolves in the area each of Jacksonville. He uses a jeep to run down the animals in fields, shooting from the driver's seat.

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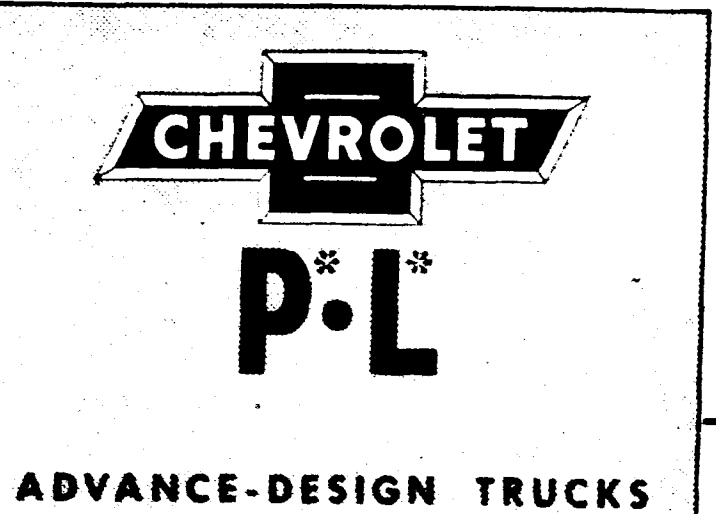
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What's The U. S. To You?

(One of a series of articles dealing with registration and voting prepared by the Morgan County League of Women Voters through its Voters' Service committee.)

How can I join a party? Where? When? Can I change my party affiliation once I have joined? How? Where? When?

A political party is an association of voters, united by common convictions, which seeks the realization of its beliefs through control of public office—local, state, and national. Parties have definite and legitimate responsibilities. They nominate candidates, formulate platforms and policies, arouse interest among voters, and raise funds for carrying on their work.

Parties in Illinois are controlled and governed by the primary law of the state, which provides for the election of committeemen and the composition and duties of party committees. It also provides for all party and judicial conventions, and specifies their function and powers.

In Illinois the primary is a closed election in which a voter must declare his party affiliation. The voter is identified with this party until he declares for a different party in a subsequent primary. It is not possible for the voter to change his

party affiliation in a primary unless 23 months have elapsed since he last voted in a primary election. This regulation is a part of the election law of the State of Illinois.

Therefore one becomes affiliated with a party when one votes in a primary election. The voter is free to change his party affiliation at any time except for the 23 month limitation on the primary, and of course the ballot is secret in every general election. There the voter is not bound by any party affiliation.

Voters should realize why party membership is important. The power to nominate is as important as the power to elect.

There's more you can do—Voters may assist the promotion of good government by becoming active party workers. This means attending party meetings and rallies, and volunteering services to the precinct committeemen.

A future article will show how policy is set by these committeemen whom you yourself elect in the primary election April 11.

Due to the coal shortage and closing of the High School we are requested to cancel our Family Party Night, Feb. 28.

WISE & DOWLAND

Birthday Marked At Bunco Party

Ashtand—A surprise birthday bunco party was given in honor of Emmett Clark Tuesday night at his home. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Clark's 53rd birthday. Prizes were won by: Mrs. Rose Hinds, high and traveling, and Mrs. Almeda Watkins, low.

Mrs. Emmerson Thornley entertained at a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of her husband's birthday and their son, Elliott's birthday on Wednesday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Leahy of Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thornley and family of this city.

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HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



WIZARDS OF ELECTRICITY, hard at work in the laboratory, are Thomas A. Edison, America's most prolific inventor, and Charles P. Steinmetz, the great electrical genius, sometimes called "the dwarf with the giant mind." This picture was made in 1923 as the two scientists were examining the effects of Steinmetz's artificial lighting on tree limbs and porcelain insulators. When this century began, both men—Edison, Ohio born; Steinmetz, an immigrant from Germany—had already attained eminence for their inventive genius. Electricity has played a tremendous role in the miracle industrial development of America during the Twentieth Century, and in the field of electricity two names that rank at the top are Steinmetz and Edison.

Lay Speaker



PAUL HARTMAN

Paul Hartman, General Secretary of the Jacksonville Young Men's Christian Association, and a member of the official board of Grace Methodist church will be the lay speaker at the Concord and Arundelville Methodist churches on Sunday morning at the regular worship service, Rev. Robert Fitch, Pastor, announced Friday.

Sunday, Feb. 26, is Laymen's Day in the Methodist churches all over America, at which time laymen take over the pulpits for a day, stressing the importance of real service to the church on the part of its members.

This year Laymen's Day is combined with Commitment Day another annual occasion, when men and women are urged to become total abstainers, and to encourage others to do likewise.

Parrell McGinnis, principal of Concord school, will be in charge of the services.

Five Jacksonville Girls Win Honors

Names of five Jacksonville girls appear on the honor roll of MacMurray College for the first semester of the academic year 1949-1950. They are Miss Charlene Holle, Miss Rosemarie Casey, and Miss Marjorie Doolin, seniors, and Miss Jerrie Wood and Miss Betty Morris, freshmen.

Students on the honor roll have taken at least 14 hours of academic work and have received an average of 2.4 or above.

Receiving honorable mention for an average of 2.1 to 2.4 with at least 14 hours of academic work are Mrs. Marian Laird and Miss Ruth Schildman, seniors, Miss Carmen Covey and Miss Mary Breyding, juniors, Miss Mary Helen Potter and Miss Patricia Holle, freshmen.

Home Nursing Course Planned By Chapin Club

Chapin—Plans for sponsoring a Red Cross home nursing course were made by members of the Chapin Young Woman's club at their meeting held at the home of Mrs. Stella Williams in Jacksonville.

The course will be held at the grade school, with Mrs. Harold Schroeder as leader.

Other business transacted at the meeting, which was presided over by Mrs. Louis Werries, was the endorsement of Miss Charlotte Sieber as president of the 20th District, Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs.

Paul Hartman, secretary of the

YMCA, at Jacksonville, was the guest speaker. He outlined activities of the Youth Center and showed two films, "You and Your Family" and "Boundary Lines." A general discussion followed.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Richard Hinds and Mrs. Earl Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hasting of Hannibal, Mo., and son, Ronald and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Anderson of Jacksonville were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson.

Mrs. Astor Watts entered Our Saviour's hospital for observation.

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Thomas Kumble, Formerly Of New Berlin, Succumbs

Thomas Kumble of Chicago, formerly of New Berlin, died Tuesday night at his home in Chicago.

The son of Mrs. Mary Kumble of Franklin and the late August Kumble, Mr. Kumble was born on May 17, 1900.

Surviving besides his mother are a sister, Mrs. Harold Ryan, and two brothers, Harry Kumble of New Berlin and Edgar Kumble of Chicago.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning at Sacred Heart church in Franklin. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery at Springfield.

LIBERTY AID TO MEET

The Liberty Aid society will meet Wednesday, March 1, at the home of Mrs. Russell Hubbard, 1402 West Lafayette avenue. A pot luck dinner will be served at noon.

ATTEND GALESBURG EVENT

Joe Reiser, Lloyd Brainer and Taylor Rowe went to Galesburg Thursday night and attended a dinner given at the Custer hotel by the Sargent Feed Company of Des Moines, Iowa.

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52nd Anniversary Marked By Couple At Roodhouse

Roodhouse—Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bigham were honored at a dinner given Sunday in honor of their 52nd wedding anniversary. The dinner was planned and served by their daughter, Mrs. Irene Foley, and Mrs. Clarence Ingie.

The Bighams were married on Feb. 22, 1898, at the bride's home west of Roodhouse. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Hudson of Oak Grove, who is still living. Mrs. Bigham is the former Minnie Hanks.

Guests at the dinner were Mrs. Foley, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ingie, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Monroe, Mrs.

Lulu Smock, all of Roodhouse, and Miss Nita Hanks and the Misses Edith and Peggy Sink of Easton.

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Winchester Club Members Elect New Officers

Winchester—The Winchester Woman's club held a monthly meeting Monday at the Baptist church. Mrs. Hazel Love, occupational therapist from the Jacksonville State Hospital, was the guest speaker. She spoke on "Busy Fingers Make Happier Minds."

Mrs. Love also showed various articles that have been made by handicapped people.

The Woman's club has planned a tour of the schools of Scott County on March 14. Any member that is interested in making this tour should contact Mrs. Regina Cowhick and she will make plans for the lunch.

An election of officers was held. Mrs. Marvin Tholen, president; Mrs. L. H. Krell, vice-president; Mrs. Grace Williams, recording secretary; Mrs. Lillian Coultas, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Richard Riggs, treasurer; Mrs. C. E. McDonnell, press reporter; Mrs. Hazel Stewart, parliamentarian; Mrs. Dana O'Donnell, historian.

The following committee was in charge: Mrs. O. R. Robertson, Mrs. Frank Cowhick, Miss Beilby Leach, Mrs. Louise Hieronymus, Mrs. Lyn-dell Dieterle and Mrs. William Will-

Church Class To Meet

Kum Double class of the Methodist church will hold a meeting with Mrs. Temple Grouts, Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m.

The program will be in charge of Mrs. Paul Lehman, and Mrs. Mary Condit Smith.

Library Hours Changed

The Winchester library board held a meeting Thursday afternoon at Winchester Public Library and due to the lack of coal the library will be closed other than the following schedule: Thursday afternoon and evening; Friday afternoon and evening; Saturday afternoon.

The library will remain on this schedule until further notice.

Bluffs Auxiliary Seeks More Toys

Bluffs—Charles Wolford Post, 441 American Legion and its Auxiliary met Monday evening for their regular meeting. During the short business session the Auxiliary again asked for toys for the Tide of Toys for overseas shipment. Any suitable toy for this purpose may be left at the Bluffs hardware store or at the Bluffs library. Bunco was enjoyed during the social hour. Refreshments of cherry pie, ice cream and coffee were served.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Muntman are enjoying a short vacation in the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pylver are spending a vacation in New Orleans, La., and with friends in the south. Their children are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kivler and sister, Mrs. Allen Metternich.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gresson of Toledo have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nortrup and Dick Nortrup.

Mrs. Ray L. Kendall, who has been spending the past several weeks in Springfield, has returned to Florida.

Mrs. Paul Vannier and daughter returned home from Our Saviour's hospital Sunday.

Hand grenades were used by U. S. Marines who served under John Paul Jones during the revolution.

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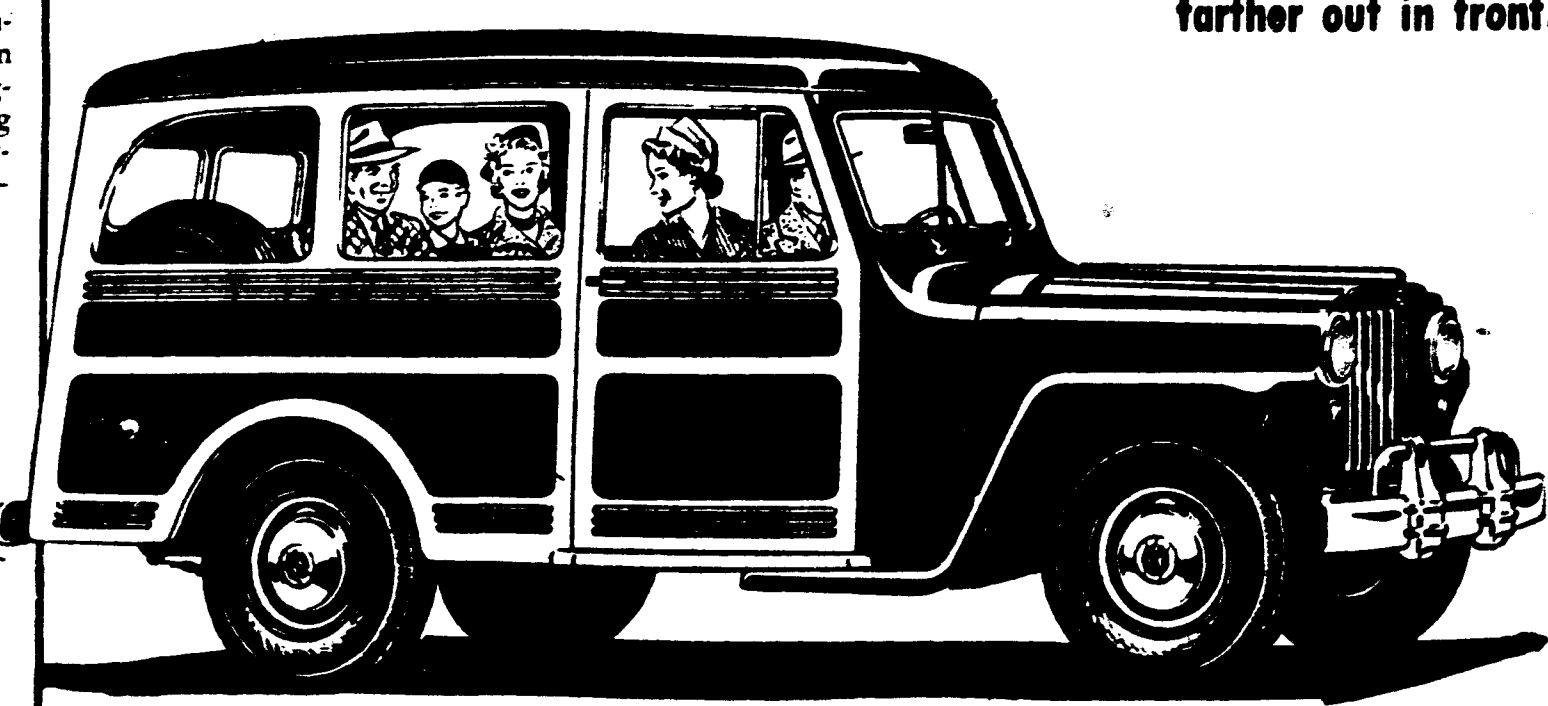
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Girl Scout Council To Hold Planning Meeting Tuesday

The newly-elected officers of the Jacksonville Girl Scout Council will officially assume their duties at a meeting to be held Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Clarence Eggenberger, 29 Sunst Drive.

The new officers are Mrs. Robert Hemphill, commissioner; Mrs. Eggenberger, vice commissioner; Mrs. Karl Baker, treasurer; and Mrs. John Whelan, secretary.

The meeting Tuesday will be concerned with the formation of plans for forthcoming Girl Scout activities, including the celebration of the

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U.S. to Furnish Monthly Shipment Of Food For Needy

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 24.—(P)—The federal government has agreed to furnish Illinois 2,400,000 pounds of surplus potatoes, dried milk and eggs a month for needy persons in the state.

Governor Stevenson announced today that the food would supplement federal-state assistance now given to relief recipients. Food distribution will begin in 30 to 45 days in Chicago and in 60 to 90 days downstate.

The food is valued at \$225,000 a month at current retail prices. It is being given away by the federal government to reduce stockpiles of surplus food accumulated in recent years. Illinois will have to pay only transportation costs.

In Chicago, Chairman Henry F. Tenney, of the Illinois public aid commission said that storage and distribution space is being sought in Chicago and in several downstate areas.

Tenney said distribution points will be set up in Metropolitan areas where some 198,000 aid recipients are concentrated. Tenney estimated the program will cost Illinois about \$40,000 a month.

Monthly food shipments from the federal government will include 2,082,000 pounds of potatoes, 208,200 pounds of dried milk, and 100,000 pounds of dried eggs.

Monthly rations to each relief recipient in the state will be 10 pounds of potatoes, 8 ounces of dried eggs or about 19 eggs, and one pound of dried milk or about 14 quarts.

CHICAGO GRAINS TURN DOWNWARD

Chicago, Feb. 24.—(P)—Grains turned downward after early shakiness on the Board of Trade today.

The decline was led by March wheat, which dropped around 2 cents at one time. New crop wheat deliveries gave up gains extending to about a cent, substituting fractional losses. Rye and soybeans tumbled a couple of cents.

An eastern advisory service sent out wires recommending liquidation of long lines in all cereals around an hour before the close. Brokers were inclined to attribute part of the selling to this advice.

Brokers also felt that grains, particularly wheat and soybeans, had to meet lot of profit-taking following yesterday's sharp gains.

Receipts were: wheat 16 cars, corn 70, oats 29, rye none, barley 10, and soybeans 9.

Wheat closed unchanged to 2 1/2 lower, March \$2.19 1/2, corn was 1/2 lower, March \$1.29, oats were 1/2 lower, March 74 1/2, rye was 1/2 to 3 cents lower, May \$1.29 1/2, soybeans were 2 cents lower to 1 higher, March \$2.39 1/2, and land was 15 to 18 cents a hundred pounds lower, March \$10.85.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

New York, Feb. 24.—(P)—Stocks—Higher; aircraft in demand. Bonds—Steady; minor changes prevail.

Cotton—Higher; trade and commission house buying.

Chicago

Wheat—Easy; March very weak on liquidation.

Corn—Weak; demand for cash corn lower.

Oats—Easy with corn.

Soybeans—Mixed; deferred deliveries steady.

Hogs—Slow and steady to 25 cents lower; top \$17.35.

Cattle—Slow and steady to 50 cents lower; choice absent.

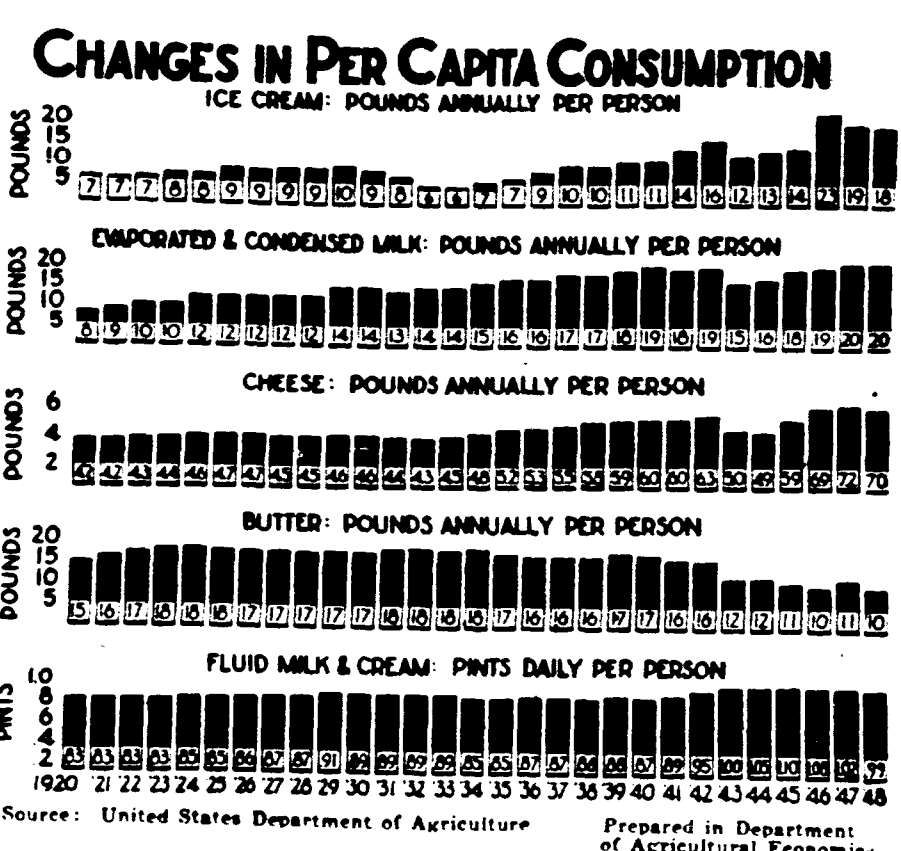
Eggs of the iguana, a large lizard, are fancied by South American gourmets.

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Ice Cream consumption doubles

People are now eating about twice as much ice cream per person as they did before the war. This resulted from high consumer income, better quality and improved merchandising of this product through grocery stores.

For every six quarts of milk used from 1935-39 the American people are now consuming seven quarts and are eating a pound and a half more cheese per person than they did in prewar years.

In 1948, the average consumption of evaporated and condensed milk was 20 pounds per person compared with 16.8 pounds before the war. Butter consumption was 38 percent less than from 1935-39. This resulted principally from diversion of milk to whole milk uses.

People are using more milk and cheese

Evaporated and condensed milk up—butter down

Mrs. Lena Lugg, Wife of Deceased Minister, Dies

Carrollton—Lena D. Seely Lugg, widow of the late Rev. T. Lugg, died early Friday morning at Wesley Memorial hospital in Evanston.

A resident of Carrollton, Mrs. Lugg had gone to Evanston a few months ago because of ill health. She was being cared for by her stepson, Dr. T. B. Lugg, who is treasurer of the General Commission on World Service and Finance of the Methodist church.

The stepson survives, together with a step-daughter, Mrs. Gwendolyn Jamison of Portland, Ore.

Mrs. Lugg was born near White Hall on Sept. 26, 1869, the daughter of John and Surepta Landis Seely. She had resided all her life in Illinois, moving to various locations with her husband, who held pastorates of Methodist churches in all parts of the state.

She was a member of the Methodist church at Carrollton and the W.C.S.S. of which she was a former president and, at the time of her death, promotion secretary.

Mrs. Lugg also held membership in the East End and West End Reading circles at Carrollton and the Carrollton Home Bureau Unit. She belonged to the White Hall Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, for more than 50 years.

The body will arrive in Carrollton Saturday and will be taken to the Simpson Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later.

Local Man Serves On Submarine

Melvin B. Jensen, seaman apprentice, U.S.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. V. Janssen of 1002 East Lafayette avenue, is aboard the radar picket submarine USS Requin participating in the Army, Navy and Air Force realistic war exercises being conducted in the Caribbean area which will include a mock assault and seizure of the Island of Vieques.

Porter, or Puerto Rican Exercises, the largest peace time maneuvers ever to be held in the hemisphere, will afford combat exercises for nearly 80,000 men of the armed forces and will include the menace to the fleet by submarines and attacking aircraft, both land and carrier based.

Upon completion of the exercise, the Requin will return to Norfolk, Va.

BROTHER OF LOCAL WOMAN DIES IN NEOGA

Mrs. Nettie Scott, 438 South Sandy street, has received word of the death of her brother, Lloyd Steel, who was found dead at his home in Neoga.

Funeral services will be held Saturday in Neoga. Burial will also be there.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Morning

9:00—Mind Your Manners—nbc

9:15—Kelvin Kearsy Visits—abc

9:30—Barnyard Follies—cbs

9:45—Office in Washington—nbc

10:00—Tom Case's Chatterbox—abc

10:15—Fred Waring Show—nbc

10:30—Make Way for Youth—cbs

10:45—Skimmed Spaghetti—abc

11:00—Mars Lee Taylor—nbc

11:15—Joe Magaglio Quiz—cbs

11:30—Junior Junction—abc

11:45—Lopez Leads Parade—cbs

12:00—Coast Guard Parade—nbc

12:15—Shilling Ed McConnell—nbc

12:30—Book Review Drama—cbs

12:45—River Dance Show—abc

1:00—Man on the Farm—nbc

Afternoon

12:00—News and Talks—nbc

12:15—Footnote to Today—cbs

12:30—Run in Box—abc

12:45—Man on Farm—cbs

1:00—Long Live Music—nbc

1:15—Grand Central Drama—cbs

1:30—American Farmer—abc

1:45—Lopez Leads Parade—nbc

2:00—News Broadcast—nbc

2:15—Farm and Home—nbc

2:30—Stars Over Hollywood—cbs

2:45—American Jazz—nbc

3:00—News Broadcast—nbc

3:15—Lopez Leads Parade—nbc

3:30—Phonograph of Music—nbc

3:45—News Report—cbs

4:00—Dance Band—nbc

4:15—Science Adventures—cbs

4:30—Farm News—nbc

4:45—Lopez Leads Parade—nbc

5:00—Cross-Section USA—cbs

5:15—Living 1949—nbc

5:30—Orchestra Show—cbs

5:45—Dinner on Disc—nbc

6:00—To Be Announced—nbc

6:15—Saturday in St. Louis—cbs

6:30—Sports Parade—nbc

6:45—Reynolds' Wildcats—nbc

7:00—Orchestra Show—cbs

7:15—Special Feature—nbc

7:30—True or False—nbc

7:45—Tea & Crumpets—abc

8:00—British Elections—nbc

8:15—Book Review—nbc

8:30—Movie Classics—nbc

8:45—Hollywood Quiz—nbc

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Evening

6:00—News Broadcast—nbc

6:15—Newspaper Every Day—nbc

6:30—News and Comment—nbc

6:45—Hollywood Follies—nbc

7:00—Religion in News—nbc

7:15—Like Success Memoirs—nbc

7:30—Movie Classics—nbc

7:45—News Broadcast—nbc

8:00—NBC Symphony—nbc

8:15—Hit Parade—nbc

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WLDS

SATURDAY, FEB. 25

6:15 a.m.—WLDS Sign On

6:30 a.m.—Virginia Buckaroo

6:45 a.m.—Prairie Pioneers

6:55 a.m.—Market Summary

7:00 a.m.—Prairie Pioneers

7:30 a.m.—News Summary

7:35 a.m.—Morning Melodies

7:45 a.m.—Sport Summary

7:50 a.m.—Chuck Wagon Tunes

8:00 a.m.—News Roundup

8:15 a.m.—Daily Dollar Man

8:30 a.m.—Voice of the Army

8:45 a.m.—Musical Varieties

9:00 a.m.—News Summary

9:05 a.m.—Grain quotes

9:15 a.m.—Spotlight On a Star

9:30 a.m.—Streams in the Desert

9:35 a.m.—Defense Report

9:45 a.m.—Personality Time

10:00 a.m.—Under The Capital Dome

10:05 a.m.—Midwest Quotes

10:06 a.m.—Teen Tunes Topics

10:45 a.m.—Woman's Magazine

11:00 a.m.—News Summary

11:05 a.m.—Music

11:13 a.m.—Grain Quotes

11:15 a.m.—Prairie Pioneers

12:00 noon—Farm Front

12:05 p.m.—Market Summary

12:15 p.m.—Music

12:20 p.m.—Classified Ads

12:30 p.m.—Noontime News

12:45 p.m.—Noon Time Prolific

1:00 p.m.—Birthdays Club

1:15 p.m.—Babe Ruth Story

1:30 p.m.—Stars of the Future

1:45 p.m.—Curtain Call

2:00 p.m.—News Summary

2:05 p.m.—Request Time

3:15 p.m.—All Church Program

3:30 p.m.—Saturday Jamboree

3:45 p.m.—Saturday Cappers

4:00 p.m.—Off the Record

4:45 p.m.—Show Case

5:00 p.m.—20th Century Serenade

5:30 p.m.—Sign Off

FM ONLY

5:30 p.m.—Sports Reel

5:45 p.m.—Electric Rhythm

6:00 p.m.—News

6:15 p.m.—Comic Weekly Man

6:45 p.m.—Three Quarter Melodies

8:30 p.m.—I. C. vs. Augustana

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Chicago, Feb. 24.—(P)—Hogs closed out their week at steady to 25 cents lower than Thursday today in a slow trade. Cattle were steady to 50 cents less, vealers steady to \$100 down, and sheep fully steady.

Good and choice butcher weight hogs sold from \$15.50 to \$17.25, the top ending up to \$17.35, while sows took \$13 to \$15.50. Clearance was good.

Cows made up the bulk of the limited cattle supply, and only scattered loads and lots of medium and good steers and yearlings could be had at \$22.50 to \$27. Medium low-grade heifers were \$22.50 to \$25, while cows topped at \$20, bulls at \$22, and vealers at \$22.

Fed wooded lambs continued to top at \$27.25, with four loads taking that price, the rest going at \$25 to \$27. Ewes topped at \$14.

Estimated receipts on sale included 6,500 hogs, 1,300 cattle, 200 calves, and 1,200 sheep.

League Members Attend Meeting In Springfield

Mrs. George Carpenter, president, Mrs. John Aggar, Mrs. O. N. Foreman, and Mrs. J. F. Perry of the Morgan County League of Women Voters attended a get-acquainted meeting of the Springfield League Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Baxter K. Richardson, at which candidates for the offices of senator and representative in the General Assembly were present. Mrs. Foreman conducted the interrogation of candidates, at the request of the Springfield League.

In answer to the question: "If the Gateway Amendment passes in November, 1950, the General Assembly will be able to consider three amendments to the Constitution in each session; in your opinion, what three articles of the Constitution are most in need of revision?" Candidates of both parties in general agreed that those on revenue, judiciary, and municipal responsibility were most in need of careful study and revision.

Candidates present were Republicans George Dron, G. William Horsley, Hugh Green, Jasper Gull, and Harry Elmes, and Democrats Kenneth Holmes, Karl Meyer, J. D. Myers, and Henry Ingraham.

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Raymond Roach, Injured Tinner, Reported Better

Raymond Roach of 40 Davenport street, who was rendered unconscious Thursday afternoon when he believed to have touched an electric wire, was reported on the road to recovery at Passavant hospital Friday. Roach had a close call from death as he was apparently killed when the fire department inhales.

Roach, a tinner, was working in the office of Dr. M. L. Newman when he is believed to have touched an electric wire which hangs from a motor. He was removing metal from around the motor at the time of the accident.

Firemen expressed belief that he touched a 110 volt wire. He was standing on a metal ventilator at the time he collapsed, and his falling was wet from perspiration.

Roach was taken by ambulance to the hospital where he was attended by Dr. Ellsworth Black. His condition Friday was reported as very good.

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Edward J. Flynn, Executor.

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Jacksonville Pastes New Berlin Five 61-36; Play Carthage Tonight

New Berlin—Twelve Jacksonville high school basketball players joined in the scoring as John Chapman's Crimson team administered a savage 61-36 pasting to a host New Berlin quintet here last night.

For Pete Warnke's Pretzel five it was the last home showing before going against Waverly in the Virginia regional next week. Jacksonville returns home to entertain a smooth-working Carthage outfit on the David Prince slats tonight.

Game times are 7 and 8:30 p.m. New Berlin led the Jacks 12-11 at the end of the first quarter. However, Bill Williams and Harvey Meyers started clicking for Chapman's gang and pulled out 46-21 at halftime, never to be bothered by the underdog New Berliners.

A big third quarter netted Jacksonville a 45-36 advantage and then reserves took over. Chapman cleaned up his bench giving every Crimson athlete a chance to prove himself before regional play begins next week.

The subs didn't slow down and went on to register a sizeable score in the final period to win going away.

Williams and Meyers were the only Jacksonville hoopers to jump into two-digit figures. Williams got 33 and Meyers ten. Lawrence, New Berlin forward, led Pretzel scoring field.

Winchester Ends Schedule, Beats Mt. Sterling 64-56

Winchester—Revenge was sweet for E. W. Poey's rampaging Winchester Wildcats as they handed Mt. Sterling a 64-56 defeat in the final game of the season here last night.

Winchester will meet Pleasant Hill in its first-round test of the 1950-51 regional next Tuesday. Poey's Winchester quintet gained a state-wide respect when it rallied midway through the season to gain the Illinois Valley conference crown with an 8-1 mark. And, Winchester, also regarded as a Pittsfield regional contender.

By Cummings, lanky pivot ace, notched 22 points to head Winchester scoring. Robinson, back in action after spraining an ankle over a month ago, scored 15 points for Mt. Sterling as did Steinbeck.

The Winchester seconds won 49-24. The Box Score:

	FG	FT	TP
Winchester	13	10	16
Mt. Sterling	10	10	16

By Quarters:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Winchester	17	30	51	64	
Mt. Sterling	13	27	44	56	

Ceci Scores 26 Points Leads ISD Quintet To Win At Roodhouse

Roodhouse—Leo Ceci, ISD sharpshooter, closed the doors on a successful basketball season when he bucketed 26 points and paced Spike Wilson's Tiger quintet to a 60-48 conquest over host Roodhouse last night.

It was the last regular scheduled game for ISD who will enter the Virginia regional next week. The Wilsonmen led only 12-11 at the end of a nip and tuck first quarter. A big second chapter, with Ceci pouring in points, landed the

westenders out front 31-17. From then on it was a coast to the end. ISD headed Roodhouse 41-33 going into the final period. Ceci poured in points, landed the

The westenders wound up the season with a 17-7 record. Art Yate's ISD frosh-sophs nipped Roodhouse 43-42 in the preliminary when VanSpankeren crashed in a free throw after the horn had sounded ending play. Comprised mostly of freshman, the second team build a 14-4 record during the season.

The Box Scores:

	FG	FT	TP
ISD	11	4	26
Roodhouse	10	10	16

By Quarters:

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ISD	12	31	41	60	
Roodhouse	11	17	33	48	

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Pittsfield Nips Carrollton 54-52 In Seasons Finale

Pittsfield—Glenn Smith's Saukies tribe got into condition for its own upcoming regional tournament by edging out a tough Carrollton quintet 54-52 here last night.

Pittsfield led the Hawks by a narrow margin throughout. The Saukies will meet Nebo in the first game of its own regional next week. Predmore, Pittsfield forward, netted 26 points. Andrews registered 16 for Carrollton.

The Pittsfield subs won the preliminary 38-35.

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Meredosia Has Trouble Edging Chapin 53-42 For District Crown

Meredosia—A shaky but favored Meredosia quintet managed to assemble its forces in the fourth period and turn back Chapin 53-42 in the district tournament finals here last night after the inspired Bears had led for a large portion of the ball game.

The tide turned towards the Indians, who will move into the Virginia regional as district champs, when Jimmy Bonds, lanky Chapin center left the ball game on fouls with only two minutes gone in the fourth quarter.

Up to that time, Bonds kept Paul Bickman's Chapin outfit very much in the ball game with his rebounding. Three more Chapin regulars followed Bonds to the bench as the fourth quarter wore on and Dosh had little trouble fashioning an 11 point margin for victory as the

largely partisan home team crowd numbering about 700 yelled for the Indians to "pour it on."

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Meredosia	12	31	41	6	

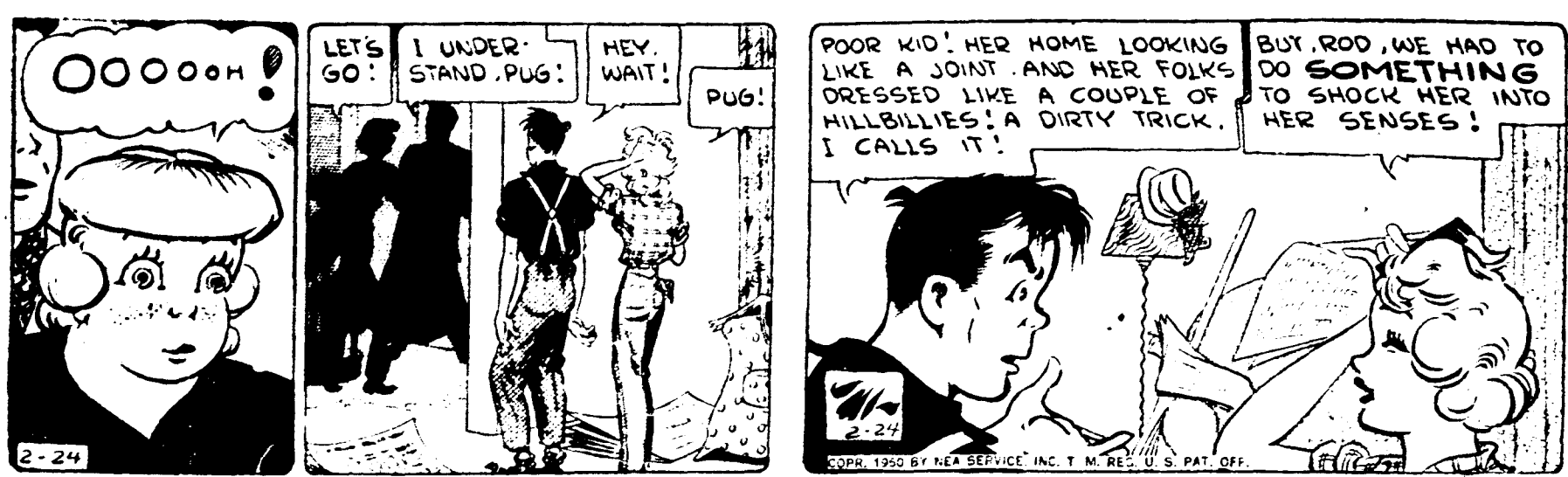
WASH TUBS

By LESLIE TURNER



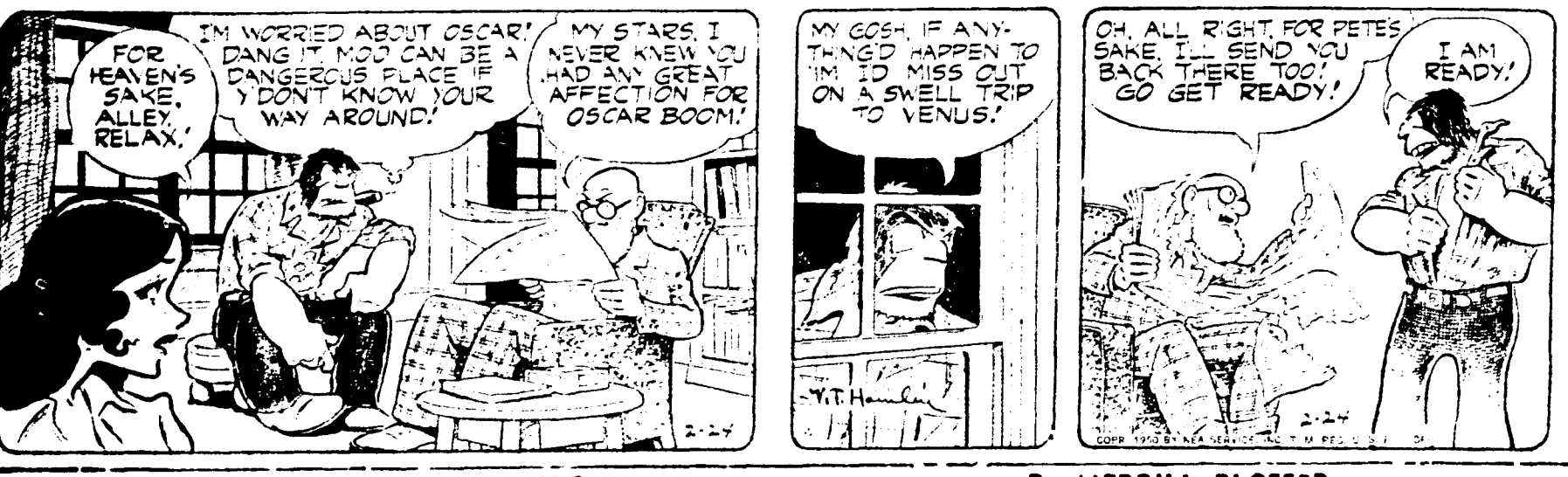
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By EDGAR MARTIN



ALLEY OOP

By V. T. HAMLII



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By MERRILL BLOSSER



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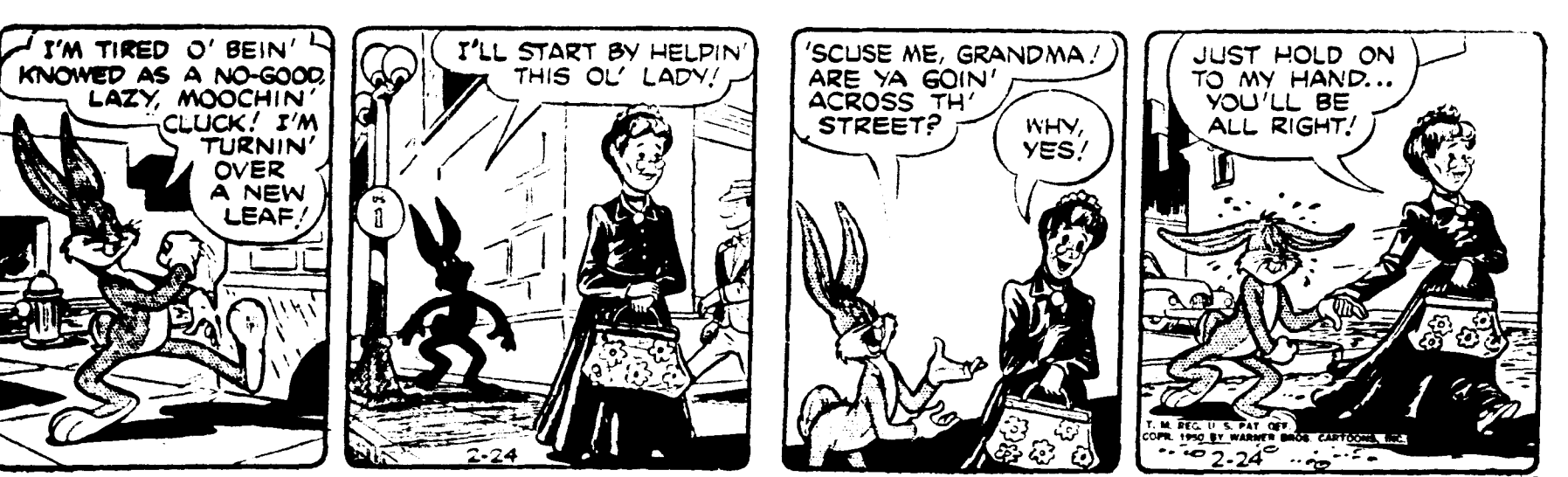
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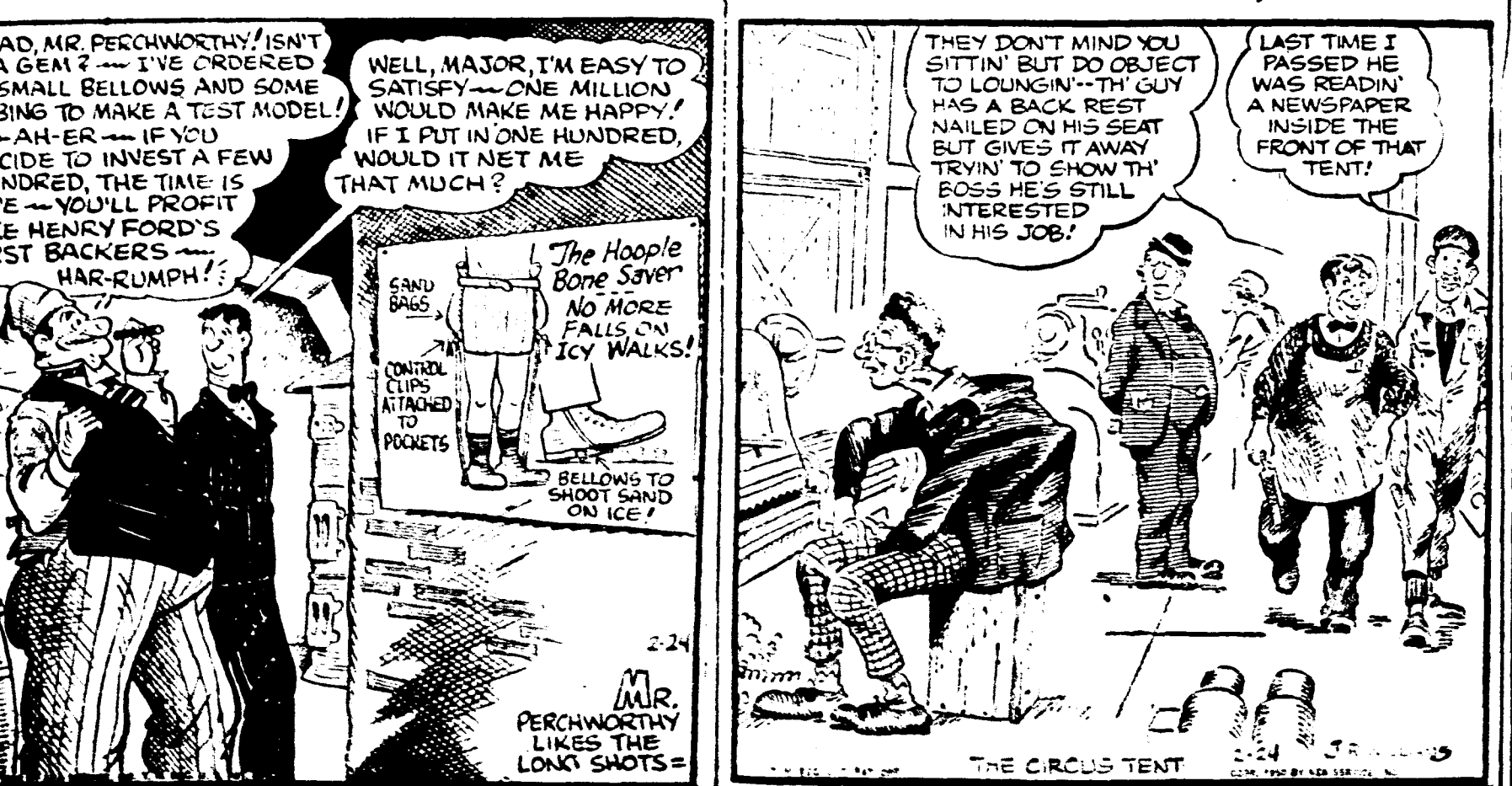
By MICHAEL O'MALLEY AND RALPH LANE



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"You look grand in your first dress suit, George—you'll be the town's Beau Brummell just like your father was!"

Funny Business

By Hershberger



"He says he'll stay here till he finds out what it is!"

STEVE CANYON



By MILTON CANIFF

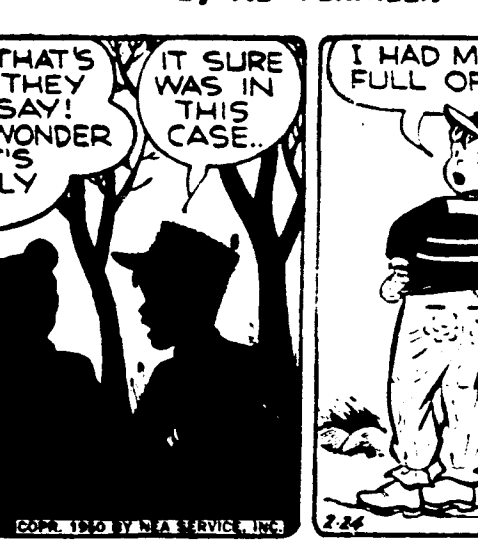


PRISCILLA'S POP



By AL VERMEER

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Today's Crossword Puzzle

Music-Maker

HORIZONTAL

- Depleted musical instrument
- It has two
- Go back
- Bay window
- Sea eagle
- Convert of St. Paul
- Golf device
- Arabian garment
- Shop
- Finish
- Tantalum (symbol)
- Exempli gratia (ab.)
- Slight
- Entice
- Thus
- Hebrew deity
- Toward
- Created
- Seth's son
- Any
- Concerning
- Negative word
- Bargain events
- Courtesy title
- Cravat
- Hidden treasure
- Hawaiian food
- Empty
- Ductile
- Sharpen
- Pens

VERTICAL

- Handles
- Medicinal
- Volcano in Sicily
- Correlative of either
- Soaks
- Lure
- German king
- Organ of smell
- Comparative suffix
- Quote
- Sharper
- Snow vehicle
- Abraham's home (Bib.)
- It is no longer
- Part in a stage play
- It belongs to the class
- Above
- Insect
- Oil
- Bird
- Sequence
- End
- Pace
- Measure of area
- French novelist
- Level
- Remit
- Expectorate
- Negative reply
- Chinese river

Answer to Previous Puzzle

KITCHEN CHAIR

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- John Deere Cream Separator
- Fertilizer Attachment for 2-Bottom I.H. Plow
- Air Compressor with electric motor
- Electric Pump Jack with electric motor
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Old Time Mill Still Operates

Millington Md. —P— Time hasn't been able to do more than gnaw up a set of grinding stones at the old Millington Mill. Serenely, under its seventh owner, the mill pursues the placid business started 186 years ago when Thomas Gilpin built it with bricks imported from England.

The structure has three stories, with beams roughly hewn from tree trunks, fastened with wooden pegs. One of the thick timber beams in the center of the first floor ceiling shows a long gash down the side, a memento of the war of 1812. The mill was used as a cranery then and the gash was produced by overloading the second floor with grain.

En-Gi Robert O'Dell is the current owner of the venerable mill. O'Dell and his brother Dorn new grind out flour and corn meal for the farmers and villagers of Maryland's seclude and withdrawn Eastern Shore in much the same fashion as the generations of millers before them.

End of a Chapter

By Edwin Rutt

XXIX

Alice Pine needed an interval in which to think out what to explain and how to say what she wanted to say when she met Brent Halleck at Grosvenor Point.

At first, during that long drive from the city, it had been hard to compose her thoughts with the wind singing a song around her. She still wasn't able to get everything straight. But gradually the explanations came. Even though there were things she had to guess, she knew practically everything.

Of course, Alice would never be able to figure out exactly why Muriel wanted to discredit Brent around the village of Tolliver. Especially with people like Molly Tremayne. But Alice had a vague idea why.

It must have done something for Muriel's ego, she decided. Muriel wanted to build herself up by tearing Brent down through innuendos and half-truths. Alice had seen it work in her own case. Muriel wanted to pose as the success in the Halleck family, even as the breadwinner, and to destroy Brent—to point him out as the failure.

Alice couldn't think what must have been in Muriel's mind to do such a thing. But Muriel seems to have gotten some sort of a vicarious kick out of it. And to call Brent a failure was half-truth in a way, although perhaps Muriel herself had made it as true as it was. Muriel really had been the breadwinner for awhile.

And why not? While Muriel was making a success of her career, Brent was away, at war. Before Brent actually left, though, he had given Muriel the security she had needed in order to make her stories click. As soon as Muriel got that security, she had all she wanted from Brent. Muriel had practically admitted this to Alice. Then, when Brent came back from the war, he had lost his magazine contacts and had a bad time re-establishing them. He had

been gone for more than four years.

Brent might have been discouraged and when he turned to Muriel for the help he needed none had been forthcoming. Muriel was far ahead of him on the road to success.

Alice did not know and Chuck himself was unable to explain why, after Muriel had by-passed her husband, as she herself admitted that she did, she came to despise him.

Alice supposed it was because Brent was not making much money and felt a little uncertain. Maybe he was out of practice and his illustrations failed to have that old sparkle. But a little encouragement would have helped. Instead, Muriel preferred to kick Brent when he was down. No one could answer why, except possibly a psychiatrist. Muriel seemed to be a kind of charming and inexplicable sadist. But Alice told herself that it did not matter now.

But naturally it mattered terribly to Brent then. He had no one excepting his best friend, and Chuck Wisner was just that, to turn to. But Chuck, by his own admission, was not the type to inspire a person on to greater things. Muriel was the cause of Brent's sarcasm, on the shoulder attitude that Alice had noticed when she first came to Grosvenor Point.

When Brent had objected to Sloan cutting down the apple tree, he was resenting Muriel's infringement on his rights. The tree was his.

It also explained the way Brent looked—rather defeated, with a droop 'in his shoulders. He was defeated because Muriel thought he was, although Alice had a hunch things might change as soon as Brent got his feet on the ground. That was the reason for the job in Providence. Brent wanted to get his feet on the ground.

Alice couldn't blame Brent too much for the chin. It must have been pretty terrible, living with a financially independent, successful woman who never lost a single opportunity to remind him how rich and how successful she was getting.

Brent would deny some of this. In her mind she could see him shake his head. But it was true.

Alice's mind went on over each detail of the unraveled puzzle. She knew all about Brent's decision not to contest Muriel's divorce. Chuck had told her. And she knew that Brent would have to buy the old place back, even again, from Muriel now since Brent had put the property in her name after their marriage.

Brent was on a job he disliked, but he could earn enough to buy the place. Of course, Muriel would let Brent have it on easy terms. But why shouldn't Muriel? The Point was Brent's home. It meant everything to him. And Brent probably had always felt that it was his place, even when it was not legally his.

It must have been a wrench to Brent when he had let her tear down his old house. Brent could not have stopped Muriel from this. He was away at war and Muriel was the breadwinner.

Later Brent had found that actually Muriel didn't want to take Rick. That point had been cleared up by Chuck Wisner. And later—Chuck hadn't talked about this, because he hadn't known about it—Muriel had let Brent take the blame for something he hadn't done. That wish episode the night of the storm.

Brent had been too decent to clear it up with Alice. Muriel was still Brent's wife and he felt, Alice decided, that Brent had to protect her. But Muriel did come through and clear this up. That's something Alice would always remember.

Alice was approaching Grosvenor Point now. She slowed down her car as the Halleck place came into view. She swerved into the drive, and parked her machine a little to one side.

She would leave room for Brent's car, when he came. (To Be Concluded)

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- 1 Pump Jack with motor
- 1 Weed Cutter
- Approximately 1500 bushels Clinton oats. (Will have test by day of sale)
- Approximately 2000 bushel corn. Approximately 300 bales of hay (clover)
- 1 Brooder House 10'x10'
- 1 Lot of Chicken Feeders and Waterers
- 1 500 Chick Electric Brooder
- 1 Loading Chute
- 1 Hog Feeder
- 1 2-Wheel trailer
- 20-Rd. Rolls Hog Fence
- 40-Ft. Rolls Picket Fence
- 3 End Posts (Hedge)
- 95 Steel Posts (for electric fence)
- 1 Lot of Hog Gates
- 1 Fence Charger
- Purniture and many other articles too numerous to mention

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Lunch Will Be Served by Ladies Aid of Woodson Christian Church

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Federal Jury Indicts Brothers Nabbed Here

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 24.—(P)—Persons indicted by a federal grand jury.

Another indictment also was returned against the brothers in connection with an attempted escape from the city jail here. Named with them in the indictment were Clyde Henderson of Chicago, and Harold and Edward Kessinger, both of Springfield.

Edward Kessinger was charged with aiding and abetting the other four in an attempt to escape last month from custody of the prisoner keeper of federal prisoners in the jail.

Daniel Leroy Prather was indicted on a charge of burglary of the post office in Rome, (Peoria county), Ill., on Dec. 18, 1949. Prather was accused of theft of 200 blank money order forms and \$38 in post office funds. He was also charged with cashing six forged money orders, valued at about \$600, in Louisville, Ky.

An indictment charging kidnapping and conspiracy was returned against Jack Bazzell, William Alonzo Lasby, Jr., and Raymond Edward Ryan of Madison, Ill. They are accused of taking Mildred Louis Tedrick from Bowling Green, Ky., on Jan. 26 to a house of prostitution in Madison.

Virgil Ray Corum of Quincy was indicted for violation of the white slavery traffic act. Corum was charged with transporting a girl in November from Frankfort, Mo., to Bloomington, Ill., for prostitution. Others indicted were Charles Victor Gould of Chicago and Bryan Frank Frye.

Gould was accused of theft of \$176.80 worth of sport jackets from an interstate shipment in Jacksonville, Ill., last November. Frye was charged with transporting a stolen car on Aug. 24, 1949, from Jacksonville, Ill., to Paducah, Ky.

Greenfield Club Has Celebration For Anniversary

Greenfield — The Traveler's club met at the home of Mrs. O. J. Bort Friday and observed its 43rd anniversary. Guests were Mrs. B. P. Andrews of Eureka Springs, Ark., and Mrs. Roy Hetrick.

Mrs. J. T. Linder spoke on the subject "Story Art," featuring Norman Rockwell and his illustrations. Mrs. James W. Martin discussed folklore music and played piano selections illustrating the individual music of other countries and sections of the United States.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Glenn C. Smith, March 3.

Store In Slat Year

The Phillip Bauer and Son shoe store will observe its 81st anniversary Tuesday, Feb. 28. It is the second oldest shoe store in the state and was founded by Phillip Bauer, who, accompanied by his wife and daughter, the late Mrs. T. N. Haven, made the trip by sled from Carlinville in 1869.

This was the first shoe store in this vicinity. Mr. Bauer began making shoes in a shed on the site of the present building on the southeast corner of the local square.

Since his death the store has been under the ownership of Fred L. Bauer, a son, and J. P. Bauer, a grandson. A daughter, Miss Kathryn Bauer, assists in the store. Other children are George P. Bauer of Menorville, Calif., and Mrs. Oakley B. Rives of Downers Grove, Ill. Two daughters, Mrs. Haven and Mrs. R. L. Bowman, died last December.

Mrs. J. C. Miller and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller and son, James, of Big Piney, Wyo., and Mrs. B. P. Andrews of Eureka Springs, Ark., have been here visiting at the homes of Mrs. C. O. Bulger and Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Smith.

Frank Greer and William Lehr attended an invitational meeting of Laymen of the West Central Baptist association in Barrow Monday night.

Charles P. Enteklin, Martin D. Roth, George M. Hill, George Enteklin, Jesse B. Parks, H. R. Girhard, Willard Hamilton and Virgie Bauer attended a banquet and reception for the Grand Royal arch high priest at Carlinville Wednesday evening.

Last Rites Friday For John L. Klump

Funeral services for John L. Klump were held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the State Street Presbyterian church with Rev. Lewis W. Raymond officiating. He was assisted by Rev. Fred Gottwald of St. Cloud, Minn., a nephew of Mr. Klump.

Musical services were furnished by Mrs. Don Woods and Mrs. Gaylord Swisher with Mrs. Ralph Hutchison at the organ.

The floral offerings were cared for by Mrs. John Furry, Mrs. Ralph Wither, Mrs. Mabel Olsen, Mrs. Lena Piephering, Miss Violet Davis, Mrs. Helen Hackett, Mrs. Jacob Frisch, Miss Carol Hocking, Miss Harriet Jones and Miss Pauline McCarthy.

The bearers were John Wohlrich, Alton, Tom Coffman, Roadhouse, Fred Hollis, Hannibal, Mo.; Paul Zell, Paul DePrates, Floyd H. Butler, Stanley Schwartz and R. H. Hutter, Jacksonville.

The Masonic burial service was given at the church with Harmony Lodge No. 3 A.F. A.M., in charge. Earl Hembrough was worshipful master; Crit Haneline, chaplain, and H. A. Litter, secretary.

Members of the Rotary club, Masonic Lodge and the G.A.R. attended the services in a body.

Burial was in Memorial Lawn cemetery.

GLEE CLUB TO MEET FRIENDS HERE FRIDAY

All Wabash College alumni and friends in Jacksonville and surrounding areas who would like to meet the members of the Wabash Men's Glee Club may do so between 7-8 p.m. Friday at Kathryn Hall, MacMurray College. Any who desire to meet the choir members are asked to call or write Henry E. Busche at the college.

The MacMurray and Wabash choirs will present a joint concert at Annie Meyer Chapel at 8:15 p.m. Friday. Tickets may be secured from members of the Business and Professional Women's club.

100TH ANNIVERSARY

Marion, Ill., Feb. 24.—(P)—Plans to observe the 100th anniversary of the Marion Masonic Lodge in October were announced yesterday. Lodge No. 80 has more than 500 members.

Lionesses Donate To Heart Drive, Plan Guest Night

A contribution to the Heart fund was made by the Jacksonville Lionesses club Thursday evening at its monthly dinner meeting at the Dunlap hotel. Mrs. Elizabeth Henderson, president, presided.

Guest night was set for March 23. In the attendance contest being held, the Long "Bow-ows" are one point ahead of the Katz "Me-ows."

Mrs. Harry Merriman presented the program for the evening, which included a reading by Jackie Katz, a vocal duet by Shirley Evans and Sylvia Plouer accompanied by Gaylord Spots, and a reading by Nancy Gibson.

The free meal was won by Mrs. John Furry. Table bouquets were awarded to Lionesses Barton, Noudett, Matthews, Knowles, Sorris, Murray and Qu.

Charles F. Allen, Waverly Merchant, Succumbs Friday

Waverly—Charles F. Allen, prominent merchant of Waverly, died at 6:30 p.m. Friday after an illness of two weeks. He was 75 years old, having been born Feb. 19, 1875, about six miles north of Carlinville.

He is survived by his wife, May E. Allen, and one son, William A. Allen of Waverly; one sister, Mrs. Ella Barrick of Waverly; a brother, Olin R. Allen of Springfield; two grandsons, William Andrew Allen of Waverly and Hugo Wilson Allen of Chicago; and two great grandsons.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Mrs. Elsie Ross Allen, in 1902, and his son, Hugh R., in 1933.

The deceased was a member of the First Methodist church of this city and served as its treasurer for the past 17 years. He also belonged to the Knights of Pythias lodge, the Lions club and Modern Woodmen of America.

The body was taken to the Wise Funeral Home here, where it will remain until 1 p.m. Sunday. It will then be removed to the First Methodist church in Waverly, where services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Rev. Bronson N. Smith will officiate, assisted by Rev. Francis E. Smith of Mechanicsburg. Burial will be made in the East cemetery here.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 7-9 p.m. Saturday.

Trucker, Worried Over Bills, Kills Two Babies, Self

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 24.—(P)—A 49 year old Springfield Trucker, worried over family bills, shot and killed his two baby daughters last night and then took his own life, authorities said today.

The bodies of Roy J. Trimble and his daughters, Mary Lillian, 2, and Patricia, 1, were found on a dirt road a mile east of here this morning.

The babies were lying in the father's truck. Trimble's body was leaning against the vehicle, a double barrel shotgun between his knees.

Trimble's wife, Mary, 40, is expecting another child. Lieut. John Stuper of State Police said she told him her husband had only small jobs since Christmas and was depressed over family finances.

She said he became more worried yesterday when creditors notified him that a recently purchased gas stove would be repossessed.

Stuper said Trimble borrowed the shotgun from a neighbor yesterday afternoon, saying he was going to shoot wild ducks at Lake Springfield, and loaded the children in the truck.

Dr. Follmar Talks To Dental Society

Dr. Kenneth E. Follmar, well known for his work at the Illinois Schools for the Blind and the Deaf, presented a program on children's dentistry at the dinner meeting of the Morgan County Dental society at Hamilton's cafe Friday.

Dr. W. B. Young, president, presided. Jacksonville members present were Dr. W. B. Young, Dr. J. A. Biggs, Dr. R. H. Bradley, Dr. R. W. Herr, Dr. J. R. Bunch, Dr. R. P. Templin, Dr. S. V. Weller and Dr. K. E. Follmar. Dr. R. E. Lee of Waverly and Dr. W. E. Harper of Winchester also attended, as did Mary Lou Porter of the Morgan County Health Department.

Services Friday For Alice Metcalf

Services for Mrs. Alice Metcalf were held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Williamson Funeral Home with Rev. L. J. Morse of Rochester officiating. Mrs. H. R. Cover sang, and Mrs. Warrington Kent was at the organ.

Mrs. Louis Sieberman, Mrs. Raymond Kempfer and Mrs. Enneth Miner carried for the floral tributes.

pallbearers were Charles Everingham, Arthur Everingham, Ernest Carr, Jr., Alvin Parker, Lon Royalty and Frank Garrett.

Interment was made in Jacksonville East cemetery.

Conservation Farms Keep Topsoil In Wabash Flood

Upland damages caused by the more than three years, he observed.

A complete soil and water conservation program on the entire Wabash watershed, the survey revealed, could have cut soil losses 60 per cent and saved approximately 55 million tons of soil during January alone.

When consideration is given, Mr. Clark said, to the research work which indicates that losing only one inch of topsoil will cut corn yields as much as six bushels to the acre, the January erosion toll assumes cash significance.

However, soil losses are not included in the \$13,395,770 figure for January flood damage. Nor does the figure include bottomland damage which is normally surveyed by the Corps of Engineers.

The items of damage included in the survey are: gully repair, \$1,066,250; fence repair, \$982,740; damage to drainage ditches, \$2,591,600; high water damage, \$3,681,780; crop loss, \$2,014,800; sediment damage, \$2,688,800; scour damage, \$1,649,900 and streambank erosion, \$139,900.

At an arbitrary valuation of \$1 a ton which would be far too low, Mr. Clark said, soil losses would boost the grand total of upland damage on the Wabash during January to \$107,692,770. The survey was made under the direction of J. D. Parsons, SCS survey party leader at Indianapolis.

Riggston Fire Destroys Gordon Machine Shop

A large amount of new and used farm machinery was destroyed Friday night when the Lloyd S. Gordon implement shop at Riggston burned to the ground. The wooden structure, 80 feet long and 30 feet wide, was located directly west of the Gordon store.

The cause of the blaze was not determined, but observers guessed that it might have been started by a hot air furnace used to heat the building.

The fire was well advanced when it was discovered shortly after 9 p.m. by Riggston residents. Efforts of volunteer firefighters were incapable of stemming the blaze and the Jacksonville fire department was asked to send a truck as a security measure in case other buildings became ignited.

Assistant Chief Carl Litter, Driv-

St. Paul's Lutheran Church 100 Years Old

1950 marks the 100th anniversary service will be conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Harry A. Timm, of Chapin. The first of a number of religious services will be held next Sunday, Feb. 26, at 10:30 a.m. This service.

The other services planned to mark the centennial of the congregation are as follows:

- Centennial Confirmation Reunion service on April 2.
- Centennial Youth and Education service on May 21.
- Centennial Mission Festival services on June 18.
- Centennial Societies service on July 23.
- Centennial Jubilee services on August 27.

St. Paul's Lutheran church of Chapin is the first Lutheran congregation organized in Morgan county. The pastor and the congregation invite former members and friends to observe this Centennial with them during 1950.

For Baby

Sweater Sets \$2.50 up. Blankets all colors. Silver Service sets \$1.25. Gift Nook—25 S. Side Sq.



"QUICK AS YOU CAN WINK AN EYE..."—Three makers of cherry pie in the nation are: Jacqueline Hageman, 17, center, of Indianapolis, Ind., who displays her first-prize-winning pie; Betty Zimmerman, 17, left, of Berlin Heights, O., second-prize winner; and Margaret Carty, 16, right, of Ridgefield, Wash., third.

Lack Of Heating Causes Canceling Of Heart Program

A result of the shortage of coal in the cancellation of the benefit performance for the Heart drive, which was to take place at 8:15 p.m. Monday, Feb. 27, at the Jacksonville high school auditorium. The campaign comes to a close Feb. 28.

The program, which was expected to provide at least one third of the fund to begin a heart association branch here, was sponsored by Jacksonville American Legion post No. 279 together with the posts of Waverly, Franklin, Virginia, Woodson, Murrayville, Chapin and Meredosia.

Other methods of contributing toward research and education on heart disease are to mail the donation to the association headquarters at the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, or to drop money in any of the 200 plastic hearts which the Boy Scouts have set up in business places.

Household Science Group In Meeting At Scott Home

Winchester — The Household Science department met with Mrs. Frank Ruark Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A short business session was led by the president, Mrs. T. C. Moore.

Roll call was answered with a patriotic quotation. Since the days are getting longer it was voted that for the remainder of the year meetings will be at 2:30 instead of 2 p.m.

Mrs. Marvin Tholen, president of the Assembly, was an afternoon guest. Mrs. Loretta Glossop brought several of her high school pupils who entertained those present. Dean Thady gave a reading "George Washington's Birthday" was given by Beverly McKinney, Sylvia Sellers, Joan Hornbeck and Albert Ring.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jeanie Robertson, Mrs. Gertrude Coultas, Mrs. Noble McLaughlin and Mrs. Clyde Danford.

Robert Land was taken to the Springfield Memorial hospital Friday afternoon in the Cunningham ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Forshey, of Winchester, Mrs. Paul Jones and daughter, Norma, and Mrs. Alma Gard of Pittsfield are spending a vacation in the south part of the United States. They visited the "Mardi Gras" in New Orleans and moved on into Florida.

Miss Leah Cowper entertained the telephone operators and their husbands Thursday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith. Canasta was played and delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Tempie Groub. Mr. Smith was formerly employed by the REA here; he and Mrs. Smith are now residents of Huron, South Dakota.

GOP Tabs Tory Resurgence Sign Of World Trend

Washington, Feb. 24.—(P)—Republicans today tabbed the Tory resurgence in the British elections as a sign of a world trend that may help the G.O.P. regain control of Congress in November.

Democrats in Congress discounted the American effect of the elections which saw the labor party emerge with only a slim and precarious majority in the House of Commons.

There was no immediate reaction from President Truman or Secretary of State Acheson. However, a number of administration officials indicated they were disappointed that the election had no clear-cut conclusive result.

Their attitude was that a government with such an uncertain base of support in parliament may find it difficult to take firm and vigorous action on international issues which will be coming up for settlement.

But the return of the conservatives to a strong minority position in England promised to curb some — although not all — congressional grumbling over American aid to a Socialist government which has aimed at greater nationalization of industries.

Senator Taft of Ohio, chairman of the Senate Republican policy committee, told reporters he thinks the British vote represents a world wide trend toward conservatism.

CANCEL P.T.A. AT LAFAYETTE

The Lafayette P.T.A. meeting scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 8 p.m. has been cancelled.

Turtle eggs are eaten by natives and Europeans in South America.

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Out For The Duration Order Follows Advice Of Special Committee

Students in Jacksonville public and parochial schools went on an indefinite vacation yesterday in the city's first official move to protect "almost to the bottom of the bin" coal supply.

The announcement was made by school officials Friday afternoon after they had received a recommendation to close from the city's emergency coal committee. The schools will not reopen until the city's coal supply is reinforced.

Later in the evening the board of education of Consolidated district No. 2 decided to close the unit's new school in South Jacksonville, also "for the duration."

Mayor Ernest L. Hoagland and the three men who make up the committee conferred at the city hall Friday afternoon and by a unanimous decision agreed to ask that the schools be closed until the emergency ends. A high percentage of Illinois children are already on forced vacations. Winchester and Alsey schools closed Wednesday afternoon.

City Superintendent of Schools Darrell Edgett left Thursday for Atlantic City, N. J., to attend the winter meeting of the National Education association. At that time it appeared likely that the city's public schools would remain open for at least another week. The schools still have small amounts of fuel on hand, coal which might help immensely in the care of the ill and aged in case the miners and operators fail to come to terms shortly.

24 Hour Notice

School officials said classes would reconvene "24 hours after the announcement of the opening is made by the press and radio."

MacMurray College, whose extensive educational plant is heated by gas, will remain open. Illinois College has a fair supply of coal on hand and expects to continue to keep classrooms open as long as it lasts.

Schools closed yesterday included the Jacksonville high school, Routt high school, David Prince, Our Saviour's, Lafayette, Washington, Franklin, Jefferson and the Lutheran parochial school and the South Jacksonville school.

Other Morgan Schools

At the request of Superintendent of Public Instruction Vernon L. Nickell, a survey of coal reserves at Morgan county schools was completed Friday by County Superintendent John Deem.

The latter said all other schools in the county plan to open Monday. Supplies of coal on hand vary greatly. Some of the larger units have only enough for a few days; some of the one-room schools have enough to last through the term.

Superintendent Deem also checked with Mr. Nickell concerning the provision that schools must operate at least 185 days per year to qualify for state aid. Mr. Nickell said that he has requested the Attorney General for an interpretation of the law in the light of the coal strike which is strangling the state and nation.

Shop Classes To Meet

John Agger, high school principal, announced that the adult evening classes held at the high school would be "discontinued indefinitely."

The machine shop class will meet as usual, however, as the West Lafayette street shop is heated by Cops Mills.

Dr. Frank Marston To Address Cass Laymen's Dinner

Virginia — Plans for the Lenten dinner for men on March 7 and other activities were made by the Laymen's Commission of the Virginia churches when they held their meeting in the Hotel Coffee Shop Tuesday evening.

Dr. Frank Marston, of Grace Methodist church in Jacksonville, will be the chief speaker at the dinner to be held in the Methodist church at 6:30 p.m. The committee responsible for this program consists of William Yable, chairman, Lee Tanner, and William White.

Officers for the coming year were elected at the meeting on Tuesday evening and are as follows: President, H. M. Knight; vice president, William Posser; secretary, James Roberts; treasurer, John Graves; publicity chairman, Walter Black.

John Graves will be in charge of ticket sales for the March 7 dinner.

To Meet Thursday

The Virginia Woman's club will hold its March meeting at the Presbyterian church on next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. The program will feature an address by Mrs. E. C. Coleman of Beardstown, using the subject "Explanation and Demonstration of Modern Art."

Mrs. William Crawford will preside and will conduct an executive board meeting preceding the program.

Musical for the afternoon will be furnished by six girls from Virginia high school, all pupils of Miss Iva Lancaster, local piano instructor.

Misses Mary Ruth and Martha Ohrn will play a duet "Valse Arabesque" by Lack. Miss Cecelia Damotte will play a solo "Hungarian Concerto Polka" by Alford. Misses Cecelia Damotte, Linda Hish, Mary Jo Ross and Mary Ann White will render a piano quartet, "Galop March" by Gavignani.

Following the program tea will be served in the church dining room by the Music and Art committee with Mrs. Russell Knight as chairman.

Scholfield Rites Conducted Friday

Funeral services for William P. Scholfield were held at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Gillham Funeral Home with Rev. M. M. Blair officiating. He was assisted by Rev. E. L. Banta.

Mrs. Anton Engels was the soloist, with Mrs. Ralph Hutchison as accompanist.

The floral offerings were cared for by Mrs. Robert Killam, Mrs. Curtis Morris, Mrs. Oren Pearey, Mrs. R. P. Templin and Mrs. Allen Scholfield.

The bearers were Clarence. Fred and Oren Pearey, Hugh, Allen and Carl Scholfield, Harry Maurer, Curtis Morris and Robert Killam.

Woodson Lodge No. 1011 had charge of the burial service at the funeral home with Earl Hembrough, worshipful master, Crit Haneline, chaplain and Earl O. Mortimer, secretary.

Burial was in Memorial Lawn cemetery.

Marsh L. Denney Buried Friday

Funeral services for Marsh L. Denney were held Friday afternoon at the Cody & Son Memorial Home with the Rev. Lewis N. Raymond, officiating.

Organ music was furnished by Mrs. Leile Hutchinson.

The flowers were cared for by Mrs. William Lynn, Mrs. Richard Denney, Miss Helen Denney and Mrs. G. A. Corbett.

The bearers were, Kenne'h C. Larkey, Kenneth C. Larkey, Jr., J. Arthur Denney, Richard Denney, G. A. Corbett and William Lynn.

Burial was in Diamond Grove Cemetery.

Grand Opera Will Visit Jacksonville

Yes, two complete Grand Operas packed with Drama, Melody and Thrilling Singing will be presented here March 8th at the I.S.D. Auditorium. Don't miss Cavalleria Rusticana and I Pagliacci as given by the finest company on the road today. Main floor \$2.40, Balcony \$1.80. For tickets write "Opera Tickets" 500 Main floor, Friday at 5:48 a.m. at our Saviour's hospital.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn "Al" Buchanan of Winchester are the parents of a son born at 3:47 p.m. Friday at Our Saviour's hospital, weighing 8 lb. 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGinnis, rural route four, Jacksonville, are parents of a son born Thursday at 12:30 p.m. at Passavant hospital. A son weighing nine pounds, four ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hayes, 409 East Douglas avenue, Friday at 5:48 a.m. at our Saviour's hospital.